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Title of Invention AUTOMATIC ULTRASOUND TRANSMIT POWER SETTING METHOD AND SYSTEM			

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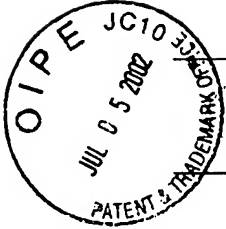
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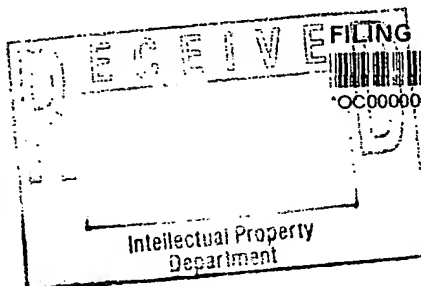
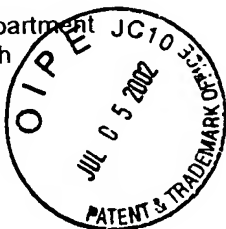
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## Assignment For Published Patent Application

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## Title

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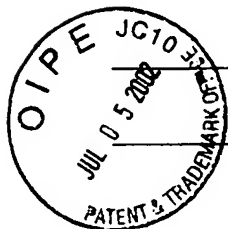
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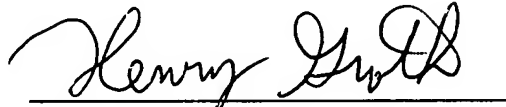
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